SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 345

By Hensley

A RESOLUTION to commend Katie Allison Stuart for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Katie Allison Stuart of Newport is one such individual who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Joey Hensley; Ms. Stuart's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a senior at Carson-Newman University, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Katie Stuart has achieved academic success while participating in numerous extracurricular activities; she is a member of Alpha Xi Delta Fraternity and the Pre-Law Society, and she served on the semifinalist moot court team at the 2016 Tennessee Intercollegiate State Legislature's Moot Court Challenge; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Stuart will graduate from Carson-Newman University in December 2017 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science; following her graduation, she plans to attend law school and pursue a career in the legal field; and

WHEREAS, Katie Stuart is most appreciative of the love and companionship she shares with her parents, Zane and Linda Stuart; her brother, Jay Wesley Stuart; and her grandmothers, Imogene McMahan and Daisy Allen; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee state government and to further her studies, Ms. Stuart brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2017 session of the One Hundred Tenth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2017 legislative session, Katie Stuart has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern and has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend Katie Allison Stuart for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Joey Hensley and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.